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## **AGENDA**

Wednesday, March 16, 2011
Third Floor Meeting Room
Winchester Hall
3:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order 3:00 p.m.

2. Administrative Items 3:00 p.m.

Review and accept February meeting minutes

America's towns to become financially strong and resilient.

s. Commission Member Comments 3:05 p.m.

**4.** Maryland's Genuine Progress Indicators Project
Sean McGuire of Maryland's Department of Natural Resources, Office of Sustainable Futures, will provide an overview of the GPI then walk the commission through the GPI web site.

5. Connecting with Strong Towns USA Charles Marohn, of Strong Towns USA, will discuss the 4 Mechanisms of Growth (<a href="http://www.strongtowns.org/mechanisms-of-growth/">http://www.strongtowns.org/mechanisms-of-growth/</a>) and the tradeoffs they present local communities. The mission of Strong Towns is to support a model for growth that allows

**6. Sustainability Commission Work Plan**Commission members will provide updates on work plan progress, by goal area.

7. Public Comment 4:50 p.m.

8. Adjourn 5:00 p.m.



The Frederick County Sustainability Commission advances and accelerates the adoption of measurable strategies that solve environmental problems, protect critical natural resources, and strengthen our social and economic health now and in the future.